(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) This Ministry will take necessary action in due course as per procedure stipulated in Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 on receipt of MCI report on compliance on rectification of deficiencies submitted by the said college.

**Bogus SC/ST certificates**

2701. SHRI PRAVEEN RASHTRAPAL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the total number of SC/ST bogus caste certificate cases in various departments of his Ministry as on 31st March, 2007;

(b) in how many cases departmental proceedings have been started against the concerned employees from the above numbers;

(c) in how many cases the matter is pending before various courts; and

(d) what are the action plan by his Ministry to finalise all the above cases and to fill up the vacancies by appropriate candidates belonging to SC and ST?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) to (d) The requisite information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

**Centres of excellence for treatment of AIDS affected children**

2702. SHRI M.V. MYSURA REDDY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have launched seven state-of-art centres of excellence in the country for treatment of AIDS affected children;

(b) if so, the details thereof, city-wise and location-wise; and

(c) what is the role of such centres to fight against AIDS?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Seven Regional Paediatric ART centres are being established at the following sites:

1. Kalavati Saran Children Hospital, New Delhi
2. Indira Gandhi Institute of Child Health, Bangalore, Karnataka
3. Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad (AP)
4. Institute of Child Health, Chennai (TN)
5. Sion Hospital, Mumbai (Maharashtra)
6. Kolkata Medical College, Kolkata (WB)
7. Jawahar Lal Nehru Hospital, Imphal (Manipur)